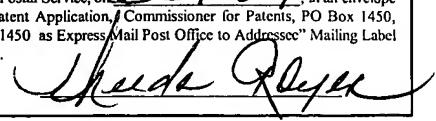


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Preliminary Amendment

Amendment to Claims

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